

THE SEASHORE NEWS.

The Social and Sporting World of Gay Atlantic City—Orange Blossoms Galore—Personal Mention.

Atlantic City, N. J.—Special.—Mr. Ethelbert S. Kennedy will be the correspondent and representative of The Colored American in Atlantic City. Mr. Kennedy was born in Pennsylvania and is a product of her public schools and the Western University and the ex-editor of the Pittsburg Advocate. He is a second-year medical student and will finish his course at Howard University. He is of striking and engaging personality, of exceptional moral character, of unusual business acumen and keenly aggressive and a young man we believe who will discharge his trust faithfully and honestly. He can be seen or communicated with at Hotel Dennis.

One of the most attractive weddings of the season among the elite of society was that of Miss Maymie Harris, of Washington, D. C., to Mr. Scott Bruce, of New York City. The ceremony took place June 10th at 9 o'clock in the evening on New York avenue, the residence of the bride. Miss Maymie Harris, the bride, is a tall, lithe figure and her regular features gives her quite a distinctive appearance. In her eyes abundant humor and sweetness of disposition are mingled together with her liberal education to make her an exemplary wife. Mr. Scott Bruce is a product of Howard University and among the most popular members of Hotel Brotherhood. The bride wore white poplin over white taffeta silk, gorgeously trimmed with white silk fringe and flowers. She was attended by Miss Belle Traux of Philadelphia as bridesmaid, who wore cream bareige over white satin heavy lace trimming. The groom was attended by Mr. George McBride, of Philadelphia, as best man. The betrothal ceremony was performed by Rev. Jenkins, followed by a reception given by Mr. and Mrs. Booker Harris, in honor of the bride and of their son, who was married June 3d to Miss Sadie Butler, of Harrisburg, Pa. The wedding supper was served by John Sparks, caterer. The house was beautifully trimmed and the table tastefully decorated with American beauty roses. Atlantic City society, replenished from the social ranks of Philadelphia, Washington, Harrisburg, New York and other cities turned out en masse to see the happy couple wed. Early the next day the newly married pair left for Philadelphia and New York, where receptions will be tendered them and to enjoy their honeymoon. Many beautiful and costly gifts were received.

The Second Baptist Literary met last Wednesday evening and the audience was treated to a rare literary and musical treat. Mr. Osborn's original poem was well received. Miss Joyce, the dramatic reciter, as usual appeared to excellent advantage and her two numbers are especially to be commended. The climax of the evening, however, was reached when Mr. Bass, of Shaw University, read his paper on "Companionship of Books." The comments of the general debate rose to high tide as to the ground which should have been covered by him, yet all freely admitted the paper for diction, conciseness and delivery has rarely been equalled.

Miss L. B. Morris, of Camden, N. J., one of their leading and most popular colored teachers, visited the Misses Harrison on New York avenue.

Love Brothers, on Kentucky avenue, are our up-to-date colored tailors.

Miss Josie Terry, of Reading, Pa., has been attending our literary societies, and her recitations of several noted literary productions and singing has made her very popular.

Mr. C. W. Fullman's tonsorial parlors on Arctic avenue, are being enlarged and thoroughly renovated. He is one of the leading business men of his profession, and a prosperous, prominent young man who is making his way to the front by indomitable courage, tact, patience and perseverance.

Mrs. E. Warrick, of Atlantic avenue, has returned for the summer and re-

opened her lovely hair dressing parlors.

Miss Mary Lovell Clarke of Baltimore, is visiting in our city. She has traveled extensively and her broad liberal education makes her an engaging personality.

One of the principle events of the summer in Atlantic City social calendar will be the third annual musical and reception given by the Bellmen's Social Association at Fitzgerald's Auditorium July 16th. Their two former functions have conferred upon this association a remembrance of the high standing and character of the young men at its head and the city with all the many brilliant attractions which have flashed across our social atmosphere have failed to saturate the atmosphere with such joyous anticipations. Prof. Fred Forman's orchestra of twelve pieces, composed exclusively of colored musicians, which is in constant demand in our large cities, will render the music. The committee of arrangement: Edward Jones, John Harris, James Tyre, Louis Brown, Joseph Green, and Harry Jones. Executive committee: T. G. Hammond, chairman, David Wilcox, C. G. Thomas, Harry Jones, Butler Boyd, Samuel Bowen, Edward Frisby, and Frank Peterson. Reception committee: Charles G. Thomas, Samuel Bowen, William Nottingham, Frank Peterson, Edward Frisby, and Adolph Robinson. Adolph Robinson is president, Edward Jefferson first vice-president, and Clarence Ross second vice-president; Charles G. Thomas secretary, John Harris assistant secretary, and Thomas G. Howard treasurer; Edward Frisby sergeant-at-arms, and William Nottingham chaplain.

Mr. Isaac Shorters is a successful headbellman of the Dennis. He possesses the marks of character of dealing fairly with his boys.

There was a large and appreciative audience at St. James' Literary last Monday, who listened to an excellent program under the supervision of its president, Mr. Stuart. The main features of the evening were the address of Dr. Mitchell, which was interesting and timely and contained some new and helpful thoughts, and the reading of the current articles for general debate.

In the presence of a large and distinguished assemblage Miss Marie Maxwell was united in marriage to Mr. Bert L. Bartee, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Browns, 1406 Caspene avenue, Wednesday evening, June 10. The betrothal ceremony was performed by Rev. Jenkins, followed by an elaborate wedding supper. Among those present were Mr. F. Maxwell, Mr. L. M. Maxwell, Mrs. Sara Toliver and Mr. J. West, of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. Motley, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Humphrey, Mr. Wilson, Mr. Randolph, Mr. S. Scarfrey and wife, Miss Belle Scott, sister of County Clerk Scott, and Mrs. Jenkins, of Atlantic City.

Children's Day was celebrated at all of the colored churches in the city Sunday, and the parade of the children dressed in white and the annual floral festival were the principal events of interest.

Hotel Dale is one of the most successful hotels in our city. Among last week's arrivals were Miss Lillie Brown, Miss Mary Wright, Miss Emma Holland, and A. H. Joyce of Pleasantville, N. J., John Brown and John Wester of Philadelphia, George McNeal, of Lakewood, Randolph Wiggins and wife and R. C. Harris, of Camden, and John Jones, of Baltimore.

The Dale Athletic defeated the Atlantic City local Saturday by a score of 8 to 4 before a crowd of 600. The pitching of Tolliver for the Dale was the feature of the game.

The Colored American can be bought at all the colored news stands and business places throughout the city.

Mr. Frank S. Sutton, manager of Union Club, Pittsburg, Pa., was in the city a few days last week, and met many old friends and made the acquaintance of many new ones. He left for his home, taking with him a good impression of the capital city.



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